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: Yasuhiro Omori : Akihiro Matsuzaki

Title

: MACHINE STRUCTURAL STEEL

: PRODUCT HAVING SUPERIOR

: FORMABILITY OF ROLL-FORMING, : QUENCHING-CRACK RESISTANCE,

: AND TORSIONAL PROPERTIES,

: AND DRIVE SHAFT

Date: June 4, 2008

## CLAIM OF EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Applicants, through their undersigned attorney, hereby respectfully claim an additional two (2) month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) extending the time for Response to the outstanding Official Action dated December 6, 2007 from April 6, 2008 to June 6, 2008.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$930 extension fee to Deposit Account No. 50-2719. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2719.

Respectfully submitted,

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